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INVENTION: SURFACE EXPRESSION LIBRARIES OF HETEROMERIC RECEPTORS				

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Transmitted herewith is **Submission Under 37 C.F.R. §1.129** regarding the Office Action mailed December 7, 1998, and the Advisory Action mailed June 24, 1999, in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ Petition for -month Extension of Time is enclosed (in duplicate).
- ☒ No additional claims fee is required.
- ☐ An additional claims fee is required and has been calculated as shown below:

## CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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TOTAL CLAIMS	34	- 75	- 0	x	\$11	\$22	= \$0	\$
INDEPEN- DENT CLAIMS	5	- 9	- 0	x	\$41	\$82	= \$0	\$
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					TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE		\$0	\$

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.129(a)**  
**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**  
**EXAMINING GROUP 1646**

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: )  
William B. Huse )  
Serial No.: 08/471,622 )  
Filed: June 5, 1995 )  
For: SURFACE EXPRESSION )  
LIBRARIES OF HETEROMERIC )  
RECEPTORS )

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Sir:

**SUBMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a)**

Pursuant to the transitional after final provisions under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129, Applicants hereby request consideration of the following submission and withdrawal from finality of the Office Action mailed December 7, 1998, and the Advisory Action mailed June 24, 1999. The provisions set forth under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129 allow for the withdrawal of finality in an application filed as of June 8, 1995, and having a U.S. effective filing date on or prior to June 8, 1993. The Patent Office is required to consider such a submission if filed prior to the filing of an Appeal Brief and with payment of the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(r).

The above-identified application falls within the provisions of § 1.129(a) since it was filed on June 5, 1995, and

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has an effective U.S. priority date of September 28, 1990. The request for withdrawal is timely and accompanied by the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(r).


Applicants respectfully request entry of the amendments and consideration of the remarks filed on June 7, 1999, which were submitted in response to the Final Office Action. The text of that submission in its entirety is incorporated herein by reference.

**CONCLUSION**

In light of the Amendments and Remarks herein, Applicants submit that the claims are now in condition for allowance and respectfully request a notice to this effect. Applicants invite the Examiner to call Cathryn Campbell or the undersigned representative if there are any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

August 9, 1999  
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